## Healthy Kansas Minute Radio Interview – Disease Control and Prevention – National Sexually Transmitted Disease Awareness Month

This is the Healthy Kansas Minute. I'm Allen Mayer, Director of the Sexually Transmitted Disease Program with the Kansas Department of Health and Environment and April is Sexually Transmitted Disease, or STD, Awareness Month.

STDs are an epidemic that now infect 1 in 4 women between the ages of 14 and 19 in the United States.

In 2007, chlamydia and gonorrhea represented more than 10,000 reported infections in Kansas.

Know the facts concerning STDs by visiting our website at <u>www.kdheks.gov</u>. This has been the Healthy Kansas Minute.